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Application Number	09/647743
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## 1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on May 13, 2002  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☐ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Fees

The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 03-2775
- i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) | 07/16/2002 AMONDAF1 00000057 09647743
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17) | 01 FC:179 740.00 DP
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
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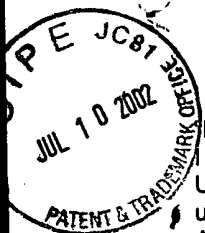
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**SERIAL NO: 09/647,743** :

**ART UNIT: 1714**

**FILED: OCTOBER 4, 2000** :

**EXAMINER: HOKE, V.**

**FOR: POLYOXYMETHYLENE MOULDING** :  
**MATERIAL WITH IMPROVED** :  
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-captioned patent application. Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$740.00.

If an extension of time or any additional fees are required for the entry and consideration of this Request or any accompanying paper, Applicant respectfully requests that such time extension be made and the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency in fees to Deposit Account No.03-2775.

Respectfully submitted,  
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